

Ms. Niland, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House has passed the following bill, without amendment:

S. 3693. An act to make technical corrections to the Violence Against Women and Department of Justice Reauthorization Act of 2005.

The message also announced that the House has agreed to the following concurrent resolution, without amendment:

S. Con. Res. 112. Concurrent resolution relating to correcting a clerical error in the enrollment of S. 3693.

The message further announced that the House has agreed to the following concurrent resolution, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. Con. Res. 459. Concurrent resolution providing for a conditional adjournment of the House of Representatives and a conditional recess or adjournment of the Senate.

The message also announced that the House agrees to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the House of Representatives to the bill (S. 250) to amend the Carl D. Perkins Vocational and Technical Education Act of 1998 to improve the Act.

The message further announced that the House has passed the bill (S. 3741) to provide funding authority to facilitate the evacuation of persons from Lebanon, and for other purposes, with an amendment, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

MEASURES PLACED ON THE CALENDAR

The following bills were read the second time, and placed on the calendar:

H.R. 4. An act to provide economic security for all Americans, and for other purposes.

H.R. 5970. An act to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to increase the unified credit against the estate tax to an exclusion equivalent of \$5,000,000, to repeal the sunset provision for the estate and generation-skipping taxes, and to extend expiring provisions, and for other purposes.

MEASURES READ THE FIRST TIME

The following bills were deemed read the first time on July 28 (legislative day July 26), pursuant to the order of July 28, 2006:

H.R. 4. An act to provide economic security for all Americans, and for other purposes.

H.R. 5970. An act to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to increase the unified credit against the estate tax to an exclusion equivalent of \$5,000,000, to repeal the sunset provision for the estate and generation-skipping taxes, and to extend expiring provisions, and for other purposes.

EXECUTIVE AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were laid before the Senate, together with accompanying papers, reports, and documents, and were referred as indicated:

EC-7683. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration,

Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Saab Model SAAB-Fairchild SF340A and SAAB 340B Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(Docket No. 2005-NM-235)), received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7684. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; BAE Systems Limited Model BAe 146 Airplanes and Model Avro 146-RJ Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(Docket No. 2005-NM-212)), received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7685. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; McDonnell Douglas Model DC-9-10, DC-9-20, DC-9-30, DC-9-40, and DC-9-50 Series Airplanes; Model DC-9-81, DC-9-82, DC-9-83, and DC-9-87 Airplanes; Model MD-88 Airplanes; Model MD-90-30 Airplanes; and Model 717-200 Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(Docket No. 2005-NM-001)), received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7686. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 747 Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(Docket No. 2004-NM-32)), received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7687. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Honeywell International Inc. T5311A, T5311B, T5313B, T5317A, T5317A-1, and T5317B Series Turbohaft Engines and Lycoming Former Military T53-L-11B, T53-L-11D, T53-L-13B, T53-L-13B/D and T53-L-703 Series Turbohaft Engines" ((RIN2120-AA64)(Docket No. 98-ANE-72)), received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7688. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Gulfstream Aerospace LP Model Galaxy and Model Gulfstream 200 Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(Docket No. 2005-NM-175)), received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7689. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Sikorsky Aircraft Corporation Model S-92A Helicopters" ((RIN2120-AA64)(Docket No. 2006-SW-03)), received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7690. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Eurocopter France Model AS355E, F, F1, F2, and N Helicopters" ((RIN2120-AA64)(Docket No. 2003-SW-10)), received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7691. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, trans-

mitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Eurocopter France Model EC130 B4 Helicopters" ((RIN2120-AA64)(Docket No. 2005-SW-41)), received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7692. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Raytheon Model HS.125 Series 700A and 700B Airplanes; Model BAe.125 Series 800A, 800B, 1000A, and 1000B Airplanes; and Hawker 800, 800XP, and 1000 Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(Docket No. 2006-NM-118)), received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7693. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Airbus Model A318, A319, A320, and A321 Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(Docket No. 2006-NM-110)), received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7694. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 737-100, -200, -200C, -300, -400, and -500 Series Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(Docket No. 2006-NM-109)), received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7695. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Airbus Model A318, A319, A320, and A321 Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(Docket No. 2006-NM-110)), received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7696. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Bell Helicopter Textron Canada Model, 222, 222B, 222U, 230, and 430 Helicopters" ((RIN2120-AA64)(Docket No. 2006-SW-12)), received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7697. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 757-200 Series Airplanes Modified by Supplemental Type Certificate (STC) SA979NE" ((RIN2120-AA64)(Docket No. 2006-NM-099)), received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7698. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 747-200B, -200C, -200F, -300, -400, and 747SP Series Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(Docket No. 2005-NM-223)), received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7699. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Hamilton Sundstrand Model 14RF-9 Propellers" ((RIN2120-AA64)(Docket No. 2006-NE-18)), received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7700. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 767-200, -300, and -300F Series Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(Docket No. 2005-NM-099)), received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7701. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Goodrich Evacuation Systems Approved Under Technical Standard Order (TSO) C69b and Installed on Airbus Model A330-200 and -300 Series Airplanes, Model A340-200 and -300 Series Airplanes, and Model A340-541 and -642 Airplanes—CORRECTION" ((RIN2120-AA64)(Docket No. 2005-NM-229)), received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7702. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Bombardier Model CL-600-2B19 Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64) (Docket No. 2005-NM-215)), received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7703. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Modification of Class E Airspace; Scottsbluff, NE" ((RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. 06-ACE-5)) received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7704. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Modification of Class E Airspace; Keokuk, IA" ((RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. 06-ACE-7)) received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7705. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Modification of Legal Description of Class D and E Airspace; Fairbanks, Fort Wainwright Army Airfield, AK" ((RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. 06-AAL-16)) received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7706. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Modification of Legal Description of Class D and E Airspace; Fairbanks, Fort Wainwright Army Airfield, AK" ((RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. 06-AAL-16)) received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7707. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Revision of Class E Airspace; Togiak, AK" ((RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. 06-AAL-06)) received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7708. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Modification of VOR Federal Airways; and Establishment of Area Navigation Route; NC" ((RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. 06-ASO-1)) received on July 25, 2006; to the

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7709. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Revocation of Low Altitude Reporting Point; AK" ((RIN2120-AA66)(Docket No. 06-AAL-17)) received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7710. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Establishment of Offshore Airspace Area 1485L and Revision of Control 1485H; Barrow, AK" ((RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. 06-AAL-9)) received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7711. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Establishment of Area Navigation Instrument Flight Rules Terminal Transition Route (RITTR) T-210; Jacksonville, FL" ((RIN2120-AA66) (Docket No. 05-ASO-10)) received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7712. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Pratt and Whitney Canada PW535A Turboshift Engines" ((RIN2120-AA64) (Docket No. 06-NE-07)) received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7713. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Standard Instrument Approach Procedures (10); Amdt. No. 3166" ((RIN2120-AA65) (Docket No. 30493)) received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7714. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Standard Instrument Approach Procedures (33); Amdt. No. 3167" ((RIN2120-AA65) (Docket No. 30494)) received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7715. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "IFR Altitudes; Miscellaneous Amendments (23); Amdt. No. 461" ((RIN2120-AA63) (Docket No. 30495)) received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7716. A communication from the Attorney, Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Hazardous Materials: Infectious Substances; Harmonization with the United Nations Recommendations" (RIN2137-AD93) received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7717. A communication from the Attorney, Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Hazardous Materials: Preemption Determination; Procedural Regulations" (RIN2137-AE18) received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7718. A communication from the Program Analyst, National Highway Traffic

Safety Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Motorcyclist Safety Grant Program" (RIN2127-AJ86) received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7719. A communication from the Docket Clerk, Federal Railroad Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Locomotive Crashworthiness" (RIN2130-AB23) received on July 25, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. ENZI, from the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute:

S. 707. A bill to reduce preterm labor and delivery and the risk of pregnancy-related deaths and complications due to pregnancy, and to reduce infant mortality caused by prematurity (Rept. No. 109-298).

By Mr. DOMENICI, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute and an amendment to the title:

S. 997. A bill to direct the Secretary of Agriculture to convey certain land in the Beaverhead-Deerlodge Forest, Montana, to Jefferson County, Montana, for use as a cemetery (Rept. No. 109-299).

By Mr. DOMENICI, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute:

S. 1529. A bill to provide for the conveyance of certain Federal land in the city of Yuma, Arizona (Rept. No. 109-300).

S. 1548. A bill to provide for the conveyance of certain Forest Service land to the city of Coffman Cove, Alaska (Rept. No. 109-301).

S. 2003. A bill to make permanent the authorization for watershed restoration and enhancement agreements (Rept. No. 109-302).

By Mr. DOMENICI, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with an amendment:

S. 2028. A bill to provide for the reinstatement of a license for a certain Federal Energy Regulatory Commission project (Rept. No. 109-303).

S. 2035. A bill to extend the time required for construction of a hydroelectric project in the State of Idaho, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 109-304).

S. 2054. A bill to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a study of water resources in the State of Vermont (Rept. No. 109-305).

By Mr. DOMENICI, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with amendments:

S. 2150. A bill to direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey certain Bureau of Land Management Land to the City of Eugene, Oregon (Rept. No. 109-306).

S. 2373. A bill to provide for the sale of approximately 132 acres of public land to the City of Green River, Wyoming, at fair market value (Rept. No. 109-307).

By Mr. DOMENICI, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute and an amendment to the title:

S. 2403. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to include in the boundaries of the Grand Teton National Park land and interests in land of the GT Park Subdivision, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 109-308).

By Mr. DOMENICI, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with an amendment: